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TAFFATA SILK you've paid 75c. for in the past, cannot be duplicated anywhere at 65c., on sale this week, per yd, 50c. Shades Sky, Turquoise, Navy, Cardinal, Reseda, Brown, White, Cream and Pink

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RUPTURE

Knowledge is the Keystone of Success

Our Representative will be in Chatham during the term of the Fair, Sept. 27th to 29th for the purpose of exhibiting our first class Artificial Limbs, Trusses, Deformity Appliances, Supporters, etc. He will also carry a full line of the very best appliances for RUPTURE at the C. P. K. Hotel or at our Exhibit in Fair Grounds.

Call and see him or notify him to call on you.

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135 CHURCH ST., TORONTO, Can.
Makers of the highest quality Artificial Limbs, Trusses, Etc.

IMPORTANT SALE.

Andrew Thomson, Jr., Auctioneer, has received instructions from Mrs. Frank Crump, who is leaving the city, and has had her furniture stored, to sell without reserve, all her furniture, which will be placed in the store formerly occupied by Mr. Simmons as a barber shop, on King Street, next to Jordan's Jewellery Store, on THURSDAY, SEPT. 29th, at one o'clock, when all will be sold, and I wish to state this will be a sale worth attending as the furniture and stores are virtually new, and of the best, consisting of the following: 1 parlor suite, silk plush, 1 couch velvet, several fancy rockers, parlor clock, arch curtains, fine assortment of pictures, lace curtains, rug, parlor and dining room carpet, centre tables, blinds, 1 hot blast heater, 1 fine range (World Favorite), hot water attachments, also reservoir and warming closet on top, in fine condition; 1 blue blaze oil stove, 1 sideboard, a beauty, 6 dining room chairs, 4 extension table which makes a complete dining room set, 2 fine bedroom suits, complete, mattress and springs, 2 bedroom carpets, 1 gramophone with 24 records, 1 dinner set, a beauty, glassware, kitchen Table and chairs, linoleum, cooking utensils, fruit jars, tubs, 1 refrigerator, and other articles too numerous to mention. Remember the place and date, Thursday, Sept. 29, at one o'clock in store formerly occupied by Mr. Simmons as barber shop, second door from the Big Clock, King St.

Mrs. Frank Crump, Proprietress; Andrew Thomson, Auctioneer.

Autumn
Shoes...

are ready for your selection today; as usual you'll find them stylish, servicable and affordable in every way.

Our aim is to give every man, woman and child opportunities of dressing the feet becomingly in shoes of an up-to-date character, at prices consistently low for qualities offered.

Our Trunk and Valise Department is well stocked with the latest novelties in the Trunk and Bag line.

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BOSTON SHOE STORE

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2-FAIR NIGHTS-2
Wed. and Thurs., Sept. 28, 29
The Fielding Amusement Co.

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THE FAVORITE AMERICAN COMEDIAN
GEO. F. HALL
With a Competent Company of 20 People.
In Maurice J. Fielding's Spectacular Scenic Comedy Drama

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Mr. Hall will sing several of the Latest Popular Successes, and will also repeat his famous impersonations of prominent actors.

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SATURDAY, OCT. 1ST.
MATINEE and NIGHT
A. Q. SCAMMON'S
Real Widow
Brown
All Laughs

This is positively one of the best Farce Comedies that ever visited the Chatham Grand.

PRICES—25, 35, 50c.
Matinee—Children 5c, Adults 15c

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REMEDIES

"Made in Canada,"
and right here in Chatham,
and are unexcelled
by any other preparations

TRY THEM!

Miller Compound Iron Pills
"Worm Powders"
"Liver Granules"
"Grip and Headache"
"Powers"
"Drink Cure"
"Kidney and Bladder"
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CENTRAL DRUG STORE.

C. H. GUNN & CO.,
Manufacturing Druggists

Minard's Lismint Cures Diphtheria.

NORTH NORFOLK VOIDED

Bribery By Agent Baker Puts
Mr. Little Out.

Novel Way of Buying Votes—Made Free-
ents to Electors—Chancellor Said of
One Man Who Received Ten Dollars
That Five Would Have Been Accepted
As Readily—The Chancellor's Summing
Up.

Simcoe, Sept. 28.—In five hours yesterday afternoon Chancellor Lloyd and Mr. Justice Teetzel uncovered enough bribery to void the election of Mr. Little, member for North Norfolk, who was elected by 100 majority at the bye-election of Jan 7 last year.

This was one of the three Norths that assisted in prolonging the existence of the Ross Government for a period.

Only seven cases were gone into. The first was dismissed. It was oath against oath, and Mr. Blackstock made no argument in behalf of his witness' credibility.

This is the record of bribery proven, and the respondent's counsel was unable to combat the testimony of the men who received the bribes or disprove the agency of the man who gave the money.

Charles Baker paid James Chambers \$10 for his vote.

He paid Charles Waldie \$10.

He paid Charles Chambers \$5 for a Christmas present.

He offered Walter Grey \$5.

He gave Alexander Schram \$5, and offered \$5 more if he would spoil his ballot.

He offered Alva Deemer \$5, but Deemer refused. Baker and an unknown then got Deemer out of the way by sending him to Tillsonburg to drive cattle, and keeping him there till 5 o'clock on the day of the election. He drove no cattle.

The charge that failed was that Battenbury offered \$10 to Peter Schram if he would spoil his ballot.

That of Deemer not being on the record was not allowed.

Some of the men who swore they got money were Liberals. One man got \$10 when \$5 would have been sufficient. There were 685 charges in the original petition and eleven others were added yesterday, making 696 in all.

The Chancellor's Judgment.

On Mr. Watson saying he could not combat the evidence, the Chancellor in voiding the seat said:

"We agree that upon the cases which have come before us there is at least one, there may be more, it is not necessary to consider minutely the details of the different cases in view of the statement that has been made by counsel—there is at least one case, the case of Alex. Schram, in which it appears from uncontradicted evidence that he received \$5 in connection with the election. There is no manner of doubt of that. Baker is not here to contradict, and as against him and against the petitioner, we think it has proved that \$5 was paid by Baker for a corrupt purpose, which was in short bribery. Now, it is conceded by Mr. Watson that he cannot successfully deny that Baker was a sub-agent, for whose acts and conduct the candidate was responsible, although he did not appoint him and even though he did not know of actual misconduct. That no doubt is the law, that if there is an agent or series of agents who are acting in the interest of the candidate and his election is procured by their acts, he is disavowed their illegal acts while he takes the benefits of their legal acts. So by Schram it is proved that there was a corrupt act committed by Baker, who is admitted to be the agent of the candidate. That by law in old time was, and now is, enough to void the seat. The law is that voided is saved by the cause mentioned in section 172, and these causes are where it appears that the corrupt practice was of such trifling nature or extent that the result could not have been effected or reasonably be supposed to be affected by it. We, as judges, have to be satisfied that Mr. Watson does not know much more about the case than we do. We have only heard certain portions of it. He knows exactly what can be, and what cannot be, proved, and he does not propose to claim the protection of section 172.

Not A Trifling Act.

"I think we as judges should be satisfied that the act was not of such trifling extent that the result could not reasonably be supposed to have been effected. The act is of a serious character. It is bribery. If it stood alone I think further evidence should be given, but certain evidence has been given in connection with the other charges, and while it does not exactly fit the particulars, still if it falls there are others which might be made pertinent by an amendment showing those facts that Baker was not alone, that there was some one with him. The particulars state it was a man named Cunningham, but he was not called, according to one of the witnesses who knew Cunningham, it was not he but some one else. Baker was accompanied by an assistant in making a good many of these visits. We have heard from James Chambers of Baker going to him with one who was a stranger and giving him \$5 on one occasion. We have from Charles Waldick that there was what is called a loan of \$10 by this man called a stranger, but who nevertheless was accompanied by Chas. Baker and introduced by him. Then the evidence of Charles Chambers that he had another of these transactions of making Christmas presents, which was \$5 given to him, although he states it is given by this man Baker. Then the Walter Grey who speaks of Baker making him an offer of \$50, although that may not have

been so serious as he puts it, still there was the speech on Baker's part when he was spoken to about buying votes that he was not buying them, only making presents.

Some One Had Money.

"Now, there was the other case of Alex. Schram, which, to my mind, proves sufficient for the purposes of the enquiry now, that there was \$5 paid to him by Baker. So that we have not only Baker, the agent, but we have one in company with Baker whose name we do not know, but who was a man evidently possessed of money which he spent freely. One would think from Baker's condition that he was a rich man, who was able to spend this out of his own pocket on account of political zeal. But he was accompanied by this man who had the money, and money was, I should judge, lavishly spent. One man got \$10 where I have no doubt he could have been bought for \$5. Looking at what we have heard and what Mr. Watson states that he cannot claim the benefit of section 172, knowing the case as he does, I think we can say that we may reasonably suppose that the election has been effected by these transactions. That being so, the result is void with the effect that such costs, unless you agree about the costs, such costs as are occasioned by this action, will be borne by the respondent, no costs of witnesses or charges not dealt with being allowed."

Mr. Blackstock asked for the dismissal of the petition, which Mr. Watson agreed to, saying that the evidence did not warrant pursuing the personal charges against Dr. Snider.

WAITING FOR FLAG TO DROP.

Premier Laurier Sees the Governor-General—No Announcement Yet.

Ottawa, Sept. 28.—(Globe Special.)—The Prime Minister went down to Rideau Hall yesterday morning and had an interview with the Governor-General. Gossip connected the interview with the approaching dissolution of Parliament. According to the official statement, however, dissolution was not discussed. On the contrary, the interview had reference to a number of subjects which were hung up during the Governor-General's absence. Sir Wilfrid Laurier was in the afternoon to attend a political demonstration at Sorel to-day and will be back on Thursday. After his return dissolution is looked for. The voters' lists are nearly all completed, the returning officers have been selected, and all that is now awaited is the dropping of the flag.

An East Simcoe Nomination.

Orillia, Sept. 28.—R. D. Gunn, K. C., of Orillia, was yesterday the unanimous choice of the Liberal convention to contest East Simcoe in the Liberal interests in the approaching Federal elections. Nearly 150 delegates were present from all parts of the riding, a special train bringing representatives from Midland, Penetang, Victoria Harbor and Waukegan. In all seventeen names were proposed. The coming contest in East Simcoe promises to be keen. Both sides are optimistic as to the result.

North Perth Conservatives.

Milverson, Sept. 28.—At one of the largest Conservative conventions ever held in North Perth, James Torrance, postmaster of Milverson, and ex-warden of the county, was yesterday unanimously nominated as the standard bearer in the provincial bye-election. His opponent will be John Brown, ex-M.P.P., Stratford. A. F. MacLaren, M.P., was also unanimously nominated to again contest the riding in the coming Federal elections.

JUDGE MORRISON.

M.P. For New Westminster, B.C., Appointed to B.C. Supreme Court.

Vancouver, B.C., Sept. 28.—A special wire was received yesterday from Ottawa announcing that Auley Morrison, M.P. for New Westminster, had been appointed judge of the Supreme Court for British Columbia, in place of Justice Drake, resigned.

Auley Morrison, LL.B., K.C., was born at Baddeck, N.S., in 1863. He was educated at Dalhousie University and was admitted to the Bar at Halifax in 1888. He commenced the practice of law in Westminster in 1890. He was first elected M.P. in 1896, and a second time in 1900. In 1900 he married Elizabeth Livingston, daughter of James Livingston, ex-M.P., Baden, Ontario.

Charged With Conspiracy.

St. Catharines, Sept. 28.—Edward Day, president of Local No. 407, Brotherhood of Painters, Paper Hangers and Decorators of America, and two members of the union, William Beatty and William Hodgins, must face a jury on a charge of conspiracy to prevent Albert A. Clay, a painter, 30 years old, from working at his business. The three accused men were yesterday afternoon sent up for trial by Magistrate Comfort after he had heard a great deal of evidence.

Lived Under Five Sovereigns.

Toronto, Sept. 28.—Mrs. Drew, who died at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Albert Fortman, 171 Euclid avenue, on Monday, aged 94, had lived in Toronto since 1830, and lived in the reign of George III., George IV., William IV., Victoria and Edward VII.

Governor At Peterboro.

Peterboro, Sept. 28.—The Peterboro Industrial Fair was opened yesterday afternoon by His Honor William Mortimer Clark, K.C., Lieutenant-Governor of Ontario, who, while in town, is the guest of Hon. J. R. Stratton, Provincial Secretary.

Killed By Stumper.

Minden, Sept. 28.—While operating a stumping machine on the farm of J. J. Scott, near here, J. H. Scott was instantly killed by the upsetting of the machine. The deceased was 75 years old.

Easy Enough

To put a boy into long trousers but to make him look well in them—that's most as hard as making a horse drink.

Easy enough to make him look well in them, too, if the long trousers are cut specially for boys, are proportioned the way boys grow.

That's how the long trousers of all our big boys' suits are cut.

New Fall Tweeds and Worsted Serges, 31 to 37 chest measure, \$5.00 to \$12.00

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MRS. WELDON'S

OUR FALL STOCK

is now complete—give us a call

MRS. WELDON'S

SATCHEL OF
THE SATELLITE

Well, poor Ross is in the minority now.

We got ours yesterday. Now we'll be good till next time.

It's a little early, perhaps, but who will be Mayor in 1905. I could make about four guesses.

There are two ways of being smart—To say things that are smart and to say things that smart.

I wonder if Boyd and Tremblay aspire for municipal honors. I know they can make a good run.

I suppose the Grits will be blaming this good weather on the presence of the Minister of Agriculture.

The Great Peninsular Fair is now wide open. It was launched to-day by the same hand that launched Dundonald into the arms of the people.

Mr. Fisher knows good butter, even if he doesn't know a good soldier. Perhaps that's why, he's a good butter.

The Hon. Sidney Fisher said that the butter from C. E. Lister's creamery "was just a little better than the butter from any other creamery in the world."

This is the sixth day of the ten in which, according to the Banner, tenders for the new armories were to be advertised for.

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our prices are all right. Will you please test the quality—your order shall have our best attention.

7 lbs. best rolled Oats 25c.
6 lbs. good Rice 25c.
25c bar dish cloth Soap for 20c.
Good Cider Vinegar for pickles, 25c a gallon.

Tapioca 5c a lb.
Smoked Shoulders, 12c a lb.
Fruit Jars at cost.
Jar Rubbers 5c per doz.

My intention was to sell out all my Crockery and continue the grocery business only. I find I can't get out by that method so I have in a lot of new China also new dinner sets, tea sets, toilet sets, lamps and glassware. The goods will be sold at our usual low prices.

JOHN McDONNELL,
Park Street, Phone 100.

Four Grit elections protested—four Grits unseated; three Tories elections protested—three Tories vindicated and hold their seats. Which is the party of purity?

Don't miss the big and thrilling military spectacle at the Fair Grounds to-night. Just think how in future years you can tell of how you bravely witnessed a big battle at close range.

Wake Up Wake up your liver! You sleepy fellow! Don't look so dull! Clear up your brain! Just one of Ayer's Pills at bedtime. It's all you need. Mild, gentle. Acts directly on the liver.

J. C. Ayer & Co., Lowell, Mass.

A NEW
Fur Factory

Well worth your while seeing.

We found a new way to show you what Furs are and how they are made without telling you.

Our Furrier, Mr. Neff, formerly of Detroit, will operate in our window all day To-day and To-morrow, Wednesday and Thursday, while the rest of the staff will be busy selling that which is made up, and taking orders. Most particularly during these two days we will give better Fur Bargains for Cash than ever offered before, whether ready made or made to order. Not forgetting to do likewise in Raincoats, Jackets, Skirts, Suits, Gloves and Smallware.

Everybody come with your money—we want it.

Miss Urban No. 2 will keep our Furrier company See it Girls.

The Urban Store

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